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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)
MASAHIRO IWADATE) : Examiner: Stephen M. Brinich
Appln. No.: 09/479,214) : Group Art Unit: 2624
Filed: January 7, 2000) :
For: IMAGE OUTPUT APPARATUS)
AND METHOD OF) :
CONTROLLING SAME) : April 7, 2005

Mail Stop Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 24, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows. The amendments to the claims are reflected in the listing beginning at page 2, and the Remarks begin at page 7.